Dewan's reply.—Enfranchisement by payment of a quit-rent based upon the survey valuation is optional, and no one is compelled to ask for it. The terms of enfranchisement, prescribed by the rules after great consideration, seem fair and proper.

Subject No. 55.
Raiyats' privileges for wood should be extended to endowed Matts.

Summary of discussion.—Raiyats' privileges to favorable seigniorage on timber required for their own *bonâ fide* use as prescribed in the Notification No. 148, dated 26th October 1888, should be made applicable in the case of Matts which are endowed with inam lands.

Dewan's reply.—This is being done.